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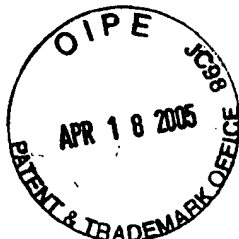
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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/025,503	12/26/2001	Michel J. Korwin	145-02 US	7871

TITLE OF INVENTION: MULTI-CELL THERMAL PROCESSING UNIT

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KASTLER, SCOTT R	1742	148-559000

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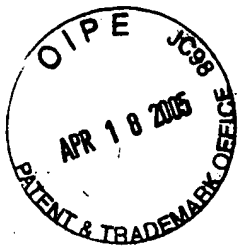
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Application No: 10/025,503

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Examiner: Kastler, Scott R.

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Title: Multi-Cell Thermal Processing Unit

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